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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **IKEDA, Akio et al.**

Group Art Unit: **3653**

Serial No.: **09/715,081**

Examiner: **Jeffery A. Shapiro**

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For. **PRODUCTION SYSTEM FOR PRINTED WIRING BOARD**

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

December 10, 2002

Sir:

The Examiner's approval of the drawing corrections indicated in red ink on the attached 3 sheets of drawings is respectfully requested.

Upon receipt of approval of the drawing corrections and a formal Notice of Allowance, a bonded draftsman will be retained and the appropriate corrections will be made.

In the event any fees are required in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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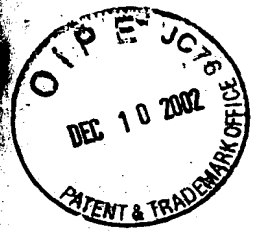
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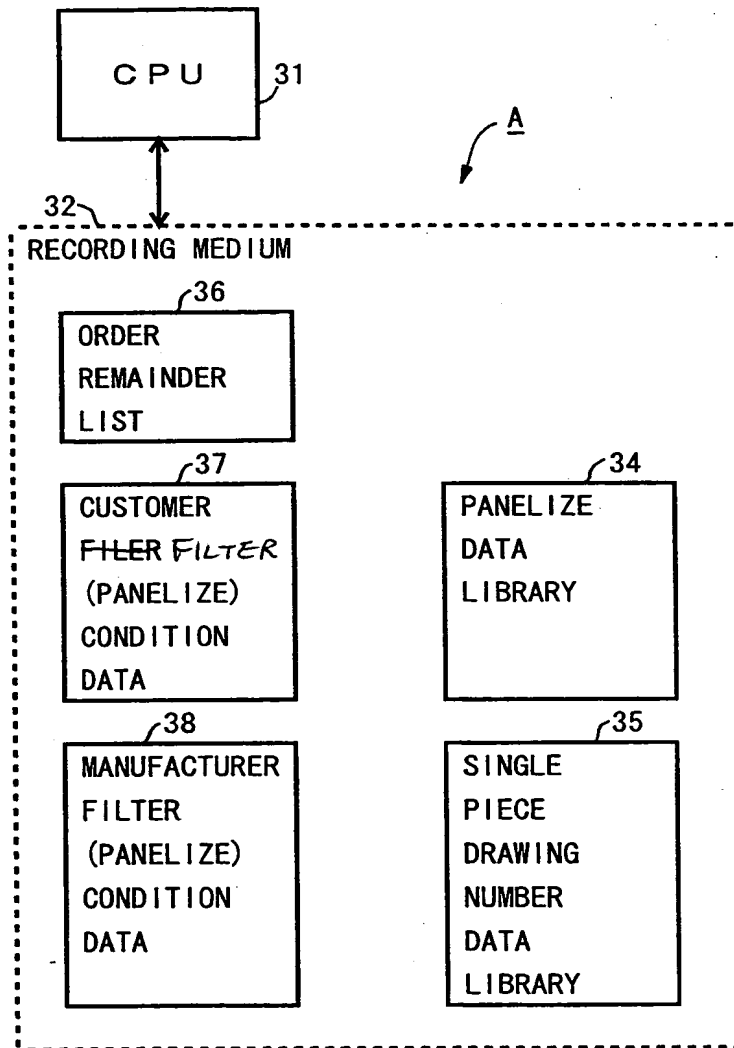
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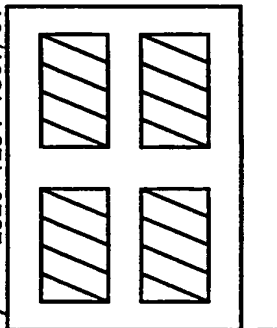


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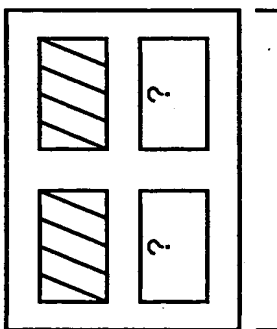
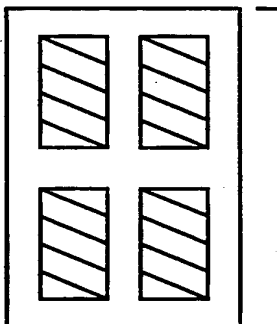
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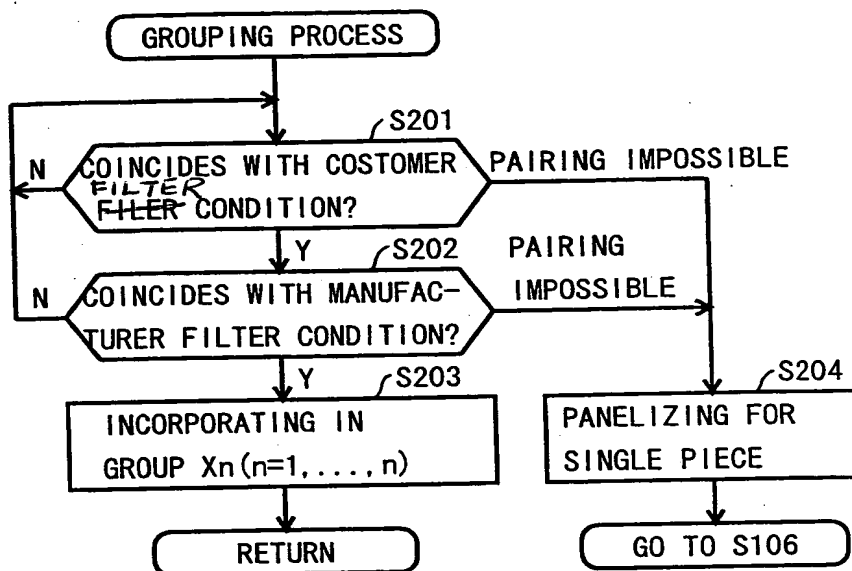


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FIG. 8



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Appendix

FIG. 7

